

PROCLAMATION HONORING JAMIE “JT” TURNER

WHEREAS, Jamie “JT” Turner has served with the Elizabeth City-Pasquotank County Parks and Recreation Department for 24 years; and

WHEREAS, JT is one of the City’s most talented, hardworking and dedicated employees, a favorite of everyone who has ever worked alongside him; and

WHEREAS, before JT ever became a champion in the public service sector, he was making a name for himself as an unstoppable athlete, and a force to be reckoned with on the basketball court; and

WHEREAS, JT boasts an illustrious basketball career from his time on the court, scoring double-digit points per game and at times leading the CIAA ranks with his free throw percentages; and

WHEREAS, JT has also gone on to share his talent and knowledge with the next generation as a coach and mentor, which impacted the lives of many of our up-and-coming youth; and

WHEREAS, on September 29th, 2023, JT will be inducted into the ECSU Athletic Hall of Fame, taking his place there amongst our hometown heroes and superstars, solidifying him as one of the best of the best; and

WHEREAS, the City of Elizabeth City is extraordinarily proud of JT for all of his accomplishments and everything he has contributed to our City and community, and we wish to congratulate him on this momentous occasion.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, E. Kirk Rivers, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor and on behalf of the entire City Council and all our citizens, do hereby tender to Jamie “JT” Turner on this, the **25th day of September, 2023**, this proclamation of public recognition, extending to him our deep appreciation for his service and our pride for his remarkable accomplishments.

E. Kirk Rivers
Mayor

April D. Onley, NCCMC
City Clerk